

MECHANISM FOR INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNALS

CASE No. MICT-13-55-A

THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Judge Theodor Meron  
Judge William Hussein Sekule  
Judge Vagn Prusse Joensen  
Judge Jose Ricardo de Prada Solaesa  
Judge Graciela Susana Gatti Santana

Registrar: Mr. Olufemi Elias

Date: 7 December 2017

THE PROSECUTOR

v.

RADOVAN KARADZIC

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MOTION FOR REDACTED VERSIONS OF  
LATEST RULE 86 (F) DECISIONS

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1. On 17 November 2016, Radovan Karadzic moved for the issuance of redacted versions of any filings that may have been made in his case at the Mechanism pursuant to Rule 86(F).<sup>1</sup>

2. On 24 January 2017, the Appeals Chamber granted the motion in part and issued public redacted versions of the Rule 86(F) decisions that had been issued at that time. It ruled that public redacted versions of future Rule 86(F) decisions would be decided on a case-by-case basis.<sup>2</sup>

3. On 24 June 2017, President Karadzic requested that public redacted decisions on Rule 86 matters be issued as a matter of course.<sup>3</sup> At the next Status Conference, the Pre-Appeal Judge indicated that any such issues should be brought before the Appeals Chamber by way of a motion.<sup>4</sup>

4. Counsel for President Karadzic has now observed from the Judicial Database that two additional Rule 86(F) matters have arisen since the Appeals Chamber's granting of public redacted versions of decisions in January 2017. They have been given case numbers MICT-13-55-R86F.6 and R86F.7. President Karadzic therefore moves for the issuance of public redacted versions of any decisions in those matters.

5. Issuance of public redacted versions of those decisions will further the well-established principle that "all proceedings before the Mechanism shall be public unless there are exceptional reasons for keeping them confidential."<sup>5</sup>

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Respectfully submitted,



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<sup>1</sup> *Motion for Redacted Versions of Rule 86(F) Filings* (17 November 2016)

<sup>2</sup> *Decision on a Motion for Redacted Versions of Rule 86(F) Filings* (17 January 2017)

<sup>3</sup> *Written Submissions on the Conduct of Rule 86 Proceedings* (24 June 2017), paras. 3-6

<sup>4</sup> T57 (10 October 2017)

<sup>5</sup> *Prosecutor v Lukic*, No. MICT-14-67-R.1, *Decision on Sreten Lukic's Application for Review* (8 July 2015) at para. 8; *Prosecutor v Kamuhanda*, No. MICT-12-33-R86.1, *Decision on a Motion to Reclassify a Submission by the Registry* (5 February 2016), p. 2; *Prosecutor v Oric*, No. MICT-14-79, *Decision on an Application for Leave to Appeal the Single Judge's Decision of 10 December 2015* (17 February 2016) at para. 8



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